

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 2179**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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This Reply is in response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2009.

**Amendments**

Please amend the above referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9.